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Abstract of Season or Intermediate Reports for the Week ending 22nd September 1883.

Bangalore District.—Three cents were gauged in the Civil and Military Station. There was no rain in the Town of Bangalore. The dry crops throughout the District are in need of rain. Public health generally good. Murrain prevalent to a very slight extent in a few Taluks. Drinking water and pasturage sufficient. Prices: rice, 2nd sort, 10½ seers, ragi 30 seers and horse-gram 29 seers per rupee.

Kolar District.—No rain. Standing crops are withering in many places. Gingelly seed harvest continued. Public health generally good. Cattle disease prevails to a slight extent in Srinivaspur. Water and fodder procurable. Prices: rice 13½ to 15 seers and ragi 32 to 40 seers per rupee.

Tumkur District.—No rain. Dry crops withering in some places from failure of rains. Horse-gram, green-gram, sesamum and paddy were sown. Arecanut, cocoanut, green and black-gram and sesamum were harvested. Prospects of season fair. Public health generally good. Cattle suffer from murrain in parts. Drinking water and pasturage sufficient. Prices: 2nd sort rice 13 to 16 seers, ragi 36 to 48 seers and horse-gram 36 to 50 seers per rupee.

Mysore District.—Ten cents of rain at Mysore. Standing crops generally in fair condition, but in need of rain. Harvest of kar ragi, paddy, gingelly oil-seed and cholam continues. Sowing of horse-gram, gingelly oil-seed, green and black-gram and paddy progressing. Prospects of season favorable. Public health good. Prices: 2nd sort rice 12¾ seers, ragi 28½ seers and horse-gram 36⅓ seers per rupee.

Shimoga District.—Standing crops in good condition. Paddy and ragi are in ear in Sorab. Green-gram and yellu were harvested in Davangere and arecanut picked in Sagar and Sorab. Ragi, jola, navane and cotton were sown and paddy seedlings transplanted in Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli. Arecanut much injured in Koleroga in Sorab. Prospects of season good. Fever, lung affections and small-pox prevalent. Murrain prevalent in parts. Prices: rice 15 to 20 seers, ragi 28 to 60 seers and jola 30 to 48 seers per rupee.

Kadur District.—Three cents of rain at Chikmagalur. Crops in good condition. Paddy, ragi, horse-gram and navane were sown. Ragi was harvested in Chikmagalur, and paddy in the Arsikere Taluk. Murrain prevalent in some parts of the Tarikere and Kadur Taluks. Water-supply and pasturage sufficient. Prices: rice 13 to 24 seers and ragi 26 to 50 seers per rupee.

By Order,

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